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Children benefit from combined effort

Francis Wheeler, Michelle Fatacanti, and John Lebel provide a helping hand to Mother Nature.

The following report was provided by Carole Chiras

MILLBURY - The Millbury Parent's Club purchased a passive solar unit from Brady and Sons in 1986. With the assistance of grants and the Millbury School Department, the room was installed in the southern courtyard of the school and was given access with entry for the Media Center and a sweeping deck around the unit.

Initially, New Alchemy of Falmouth came to the school and held a day workshop to turn the solar unit into a self-sustaining ecosystem. Teachers and administrators assisted in the transformation.

This past Fall, the Millbury Parent's Club voted to allocate money to refurbish the solar room. The direction of the room is now for taking cuttings from plants, planting seeds, planting bulbs, maintaining plant growth, and monitoring activities in the room. With the guidance of Guy Travers, owner of Blossom's Country Garden in nearby Sutton, a waterfall now cascades through one corner of the room, providing home to a dozen Coy. The water is filtered naturally by aquatic plants such as water lettuce and water hyacinth. Tropical rain forest plants surround the pool. Guy comes to the school regularly, showing students various expectations from their plantings. He designed the pool and the redesign of the room.

The room is a huge success because of the support of the Parent's Club and the School Connection. On a regular basis, parents volunteer their time to assist in the instruction that takes place in the room. Children are taught in small groups and have the opportunity have hands-on experiences. Generous with their time are Lucy Green, Mary Lou Mulhane, Karen O'Donnell, and Dale Parenteau.

Special attention must be duly given to Sue Gibbons who, on her day off from work, comes to the Shaw School to decorate the white walls of the solar room. She has cleaned the room, painted the walls, and freehand painted beautiful orange hibiscus along the interior walls. The children and staff of the building find the room a comforting environment for both instruction and directing "listening skills." The constant waterfall lends itself to a soothing pulse throughout the room.

The maintenance staff of the school are to be recognized as providing wonderful support to the room. Ray Godbout and Tom Weidman have worked hard to keep the room accessible and attractive to the community.

CHRONICLE photos by Alexander A. Belisle

Sue Gibbons paints orange hibiscus along the interior walls.

Guy Travers teaches Travers Williams how to care for one of the many plants in the solar room.

School Committee questions overspending

By Edward J. Cooney

MILLBURY - School Committee Chairman Chet Hanratty announced at the committee's December 2 meeting that contract negotiations with teachers have been completed and the contract ratified. The teachers will be working under a three year contract that will provide no raises or pay increases the first year but will provide a raise of 4.5% the second year and 4.75% the third year.

Teacher Conferences

Superintendent Alfred Sylvia said that in looking at teacher conferences, it was found that there was a sum of money, $279.00, earmarked for three teachers to attend early childhood conferences in a $150,000 state grant. As of November 1st, $648 had been spent out of the conference budget of $1,000. Sylvia said Superintendent-elect Richard Palermo told him that there is $1500 in the in-service account "that he can do without and move it for conferences. Two conferences are scheduled for next week in the area of whole language which is a whole new area dealing with how we teach reading," he said.

Committee member Barbara Tuttle noted that the breakdown of the conferences attended by teachers since September shows that as of November 19, a total of $1659 has been spent for conferences even though the budget allowed for only $1,000.

Sylvia replied, "Correct."

"The $659 was spent over budget without our approval," Tuttle said.

Sylvia said the same situation has occured in the past. He noted that with all the line items in the budget, "as the year goes on, they will not stay the same as when they are put into the budget. There are a lot of sub areas in the budget that can go out of kilter," he said.

Tuttle remarked that as a new member of the committee, she was trying to "get a handle" on the situation. "I thought that we approved $1000, and that once approved,

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We The People

A memorable week

To the Editor:

On Saturday, November 21st, the Sutton Suzies soccer team played the Masconomet girls for the Division II state championship in soccer. As reported, the Sutton girls were victorious by a score of 5 to 0. A victory that was well-deserved and especially earned by the players that started their soccer careers at a very early age.

However, we must be thankful for the pioneers who have given endless hours to create the soccer dynasty and the leader, in my estimation, was Martyn J. Bowden and his Fuller Hamlets.

Incidentally, another successful event that weekend was the production of "The Wizard of Oz" by the fifth grade class, 105 strong, under the guidance of Ms. Beverly Brown, Principal, and directed by Arthur Sacco, Jr., Director of Music. Performances on Friday and Saturday evenings were sold out.

This production started in early October with rehearsals on every Wednesday and Friday from three to five o'clock. The cooperation with the staff, students, and parents during this period was unbelievable. Parents worked on costumes, choreography, scenery, props, makeup, chaperons, tickets, programs, ushers and back stage crews.

You can be sure that the fringe benefits that will come from "The Wizard of Oz" production will be a combined positive outlook for students, parents, teachers, staff etc. and the memories will be pleasant forever.

G. William Holst
Sutton

Voting makes a difference

To the Editor:

In this day and age, we can honestly say that voting does really matter. What people don't realize is that every vote counts in a political election; not only does it count, but it also makes a difference. It is an act of citizenship for all Americans, and it also gives people a sense that they do have a say in how the government uses its authority on difference policies.

Since the 19th century, the percentage of people voting has dropped. In 1980 and 1984, the national percentage of people who voted in that election was 53%; in 1988 the percent fell to 50%, and in the 1992 election the percent of people who voted was 55%. These percents are not really that good considering the high percentages that occurred during the 19th century which were in the high 70's and 80's. The reason why the percentages were probably high is because the process of voting wasn't difficult and neither was registering, as it seems to be now. The reasons registering seems difficult today might be because some registration offices are only open 2 to 3 days a week for a couple of hours. This makes it difficult because it conflicts with busy people's working schedules.

If what people want is change, and they have registered to vote, they should use their privilege of the right to vote. That way, maybe people will stop blaming all of the economic problems or various other problems the country seems to be having on the government alone. We the people have a say, and we should use our say to help make our country the way we want it to be.

Brian Lewos
Millbury

Thank You

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Millbury Lions Club and the Lioness Club for their generosity and kindness at our time of need. They are very special people.

Also, thanks to the Women's Fellowship of the Millbury Federated Church.

A thank you also to Linda Johnson and Marcia LeBlanc for sponsoring a yard sale.

Thank you all for your help, and we hope you have a happy and healthy holiday season.

The Shepley and Gauthier families

Thank You

The Millbury Lioness Club would like to send a big "Thank You" to all who supported and attended our recent 50-60's dance on Saturday, November 14.

Our deepest appreciation is also sent to all the businesses, members and public for their outstanding donations. Your continuous support is gratefully appreciated.

We look forward to seeing everyone next year.

The Millbury Lioness Club

Snow and ice remover to benefit Dismas House

MILLBURY - Lenny's Liquors, Rte., 146 at McCracken Road and the Todisco Shell Station, also on Route 146 will be carrying a snow and ice remover in a fundraising effort for Dismas House. Proceeds from the sale of the $6.00 item will benefit the non-profit home and center which was established to assist ex-prison inmates in the transition to become worthwhile members of the community.

Correction

Last week's list of cast members for the Wizard of Oz production at the Sutton Elementary School inadvertently left out the following names: Amanda Guerin, Erin Hare, Jean Miller-Ferree, Amy Curtis, Adam Royce, Kimberly O'Connor, Eric Kelly, and Eric Jones.

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

SUTTON - Have breakfast with Santa at the Dudley Gendron Post from 9-11 a.m. $3.00 for adults and $1.50 for children under 10.

SUTTON - The Sutton Towne Soccer Association will hold a final registration for the 1993 Spring season from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Town Hall. $17 for Pee-Wee and U-8 and $20 for all other age groups.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

MILLBURY - Registration for the Ward Hill Ski Program will be held at the Central Fire Station on Elm Street from 10 a.m. to noon.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

MILLBURY - Surplus food will be distributed to Millbury residents only at the Asa Waters Mansion from 9-11 a.m., and 1-2 p.m. Proof of eligibility required.

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Another Point of View

1994 Is Just Around the Corner

By Lawrence Moore

It didn't take long, did it? Only a few days after the election we were treated to State House shenanigans reminiscent of the good old days. With utter disregard of apparent voter revolt, sensing the contradictory victories of most of the incumbents, secure in the safety of a two year hiatus before the next election, and infinitely confident of the power of their own incumbency, almost all of our legislators lined up in favor of an impudently lavish pay raise for state employees. For all state employees: good, bad and indifferent, merited or not, wasteful or productive, it matters not, they all get the 13%.

It is true that raises have not been awarded for five years. It is also true that many Massachusetts private sector workers have not had an increase in years, and that (despite the official figures) about 10% of our people are unemployed. Private companies, in financial straits, have held the line, cut salaries, cut hours and cut people. Productivity in private employment has increased, under the threat of cut-back.

Civil servants, (certainly with many exceptions) noted for lack of accountability, with their rights, privileges and immunities, their benefits and perks, should at least be held to some standards of performance, some merit rating system as are most of those employed in the private sector. The Governor is absolutely right: a smaller raise should be tied to some merit rating system.

But will our tried and true lawmakers allow that? Fearful of the wrath of the leadership, and of the mass of state workers and their friends and relatives, they lined up to fill the pork barrel. Even our reform legislators, first termers in both houses, lacked the guts to stand up for their constituents. In the face of deteriorating schools and services, life threatening in many cases, their action was despicable.

The enormity of the disdain for public opinion surfaced in the parliamentary maneuvers that enabled legislators to avoid conflict of interest voting. In the House some voted "present" if they had relatives on the payroll. In the Senate, the man some say will follow Bulger reclassified the bill so that conflict could be avoided. We have a right to expect more from (Senator) Lou Bertonazzi.

Since Bulger and Flaherty will not allow the Limited Terms question to come before a Constitutional Convention, and since action on Dick Moore's Campaign Reform bill remains doubtful, what can we do?

Set up a chart with the names of your Representative and Senator at the top, and list the bills on which he or she voted at the left (bills and action taken by area legislators can be found in "Beacon Hill Roll Call," published on a regular basis in the Chronicle.). Enter a plus (+) whenever you agree with the vote, and a minus (-) when you do not. At the next election, forget sentimentality and "nice guy." Vote for the person whose actions merit your personal approval. Your vote is your only weapon for the salvation of our system. Keep foremost in your mind, 1994 is just around the corner.

"Another Point of View" expresses the personal opinions of Mr. Moore and does not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of this newspaper.

Beacon Hill Roll Call

BOSTON - This week's "Beacon Hill Roll Call" records the votes of Senator Matthew Amorello (R-Grafton) and Representatives Richard Moore (D-Uxbridge) and Paul Kollios (D-Millbury) on recent roll calls.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT (S 48) Constitutional Convention favored 91-90 (Senate favored 27-9, House rejected 81-64) a proposed constitutional amendment eliminating language from the state constitution which prohibits public funding of private or parochial schools or institutions. The amendment replaces the language with wording from the federal constitution prohibiting the legislature from making laws "respecting an establishment of religion." Amendment supporters said it is time to eliminate this offensive language which was placed in the constitution by the anti-Catholic Know-Nothing Party. They said the amendment will not allow state aid to private schools which they claimed is prohibited by other parts of the constitution. Opponents said the amendment violates the separation of church and state and is designed to open the door to state aid to private schools. They noted the legislature must insure that public resources are not used for private purposes. The amendment is ten votes shy of the 101 votes it needs for initial approval. A motion to reconsider the vote is scheduled for December 16. Amorello and Moore voted for striking the language prohibiting the aid. Kollios voted to keep the language prohibiting the aid.

PAY RAISES (H 6252) Senate rejected 22-8 and House 79-26 refused to reconsider its earlier defeat of Governor Weld's amendments reducing the 13% pay raise for 50,000 state workers to 5%. The governor's amendments also make the 5% raise and any future hikes contingent on a satisfactory performance review. Amendment supporters said the state cannot afford the 13% hikes and argued this compromise will give reasonable hikes while keeping the budget balanced. Opponents said these employees have not had an increase in five years and are entitled to this modest hike.) Amorello, Moore and Kollios voted against the reduction to 5%.

COLLEGE VETO (H 6010) Senate 26-8, House 112-28 overrode Governor Weld's veto of $370,000 to meet the debt service obligation of North Shore Community College for the construction and renovation of the college's Allied health and Services Center in Danvers. Override supporters said this one-time payment is necessary for this $8 million center which will train low and moderate income students and older workers in all facets of health care and get them into the workforce. They noted the $8 million will eventually be repaid with private funds from tuition and fees. Opponents said that when the $8 million was borrowed, it was agreed that the entire loan would be repaid with private dollars. They argued the $370,000 in funding by the state sets a bad precedent. Amorello, Moore and Kollios voted for the $370,000.

MORE PAY RAISE (H 6208) - After rejecting Governor Weld's pay raise reduction amendments, the Senate 24-5 again approved and sent to Governor Weld the 13% pay hike for 50,000 state workers. The House approved the bill again on a voice vote without a roll call. Amorello voted for the 13% hike.

GRAD TAX (H 4001) A joint constitutional convention session of the legislature approved 132-39 (house approved 110-31, Senate approved 22-8), a proposed constitutional amendment establishing a graduated income tax. The graduated tax would impose higher rates on taxpayers in higher income brackets and lower rates on those in lower income brackets. The measure now needs approval by the 1993-94 legislature and then would go on the ballot for voter consideration in November 1994. Supporters said the measure would insure that the wealthy pay their fair share of taxes and would lower taxes for most low and middle income families. Opponents said a graduated tax would weaken economic growth because it is a dis-incentive towards working harder and is based on the premise that the more a person works, the more the state takes away. Amorello, Moore and Kollios voted for the tax.

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CIVIL SERVICE (H 6000) - House 131-8,. Senate 28-6, overrode Governor Weld's veto reduction of $185,218 (from $285,218 to $100,000) in funding for the administration of the Civil Service Commission. Override supporters said this agency had to close its doors recently because it ran out of money. They noted it is important to fund this commission which allows civil service employees to appeal rulings. Opponents said employees can always file a grievance with their union and argued restoring the funding is part of a legislative feeding frenzy. Amorello, Moore and Kollios voted for the $185,218.

LEGISLATIVE PAY HIKE (H 6208 - Senate 20-7, rejected an amendment hiking representatives' and senators' base salaries from $30,000 to $40,000 effective in 1995. Amendment supporters said hard working legislators have not had a raise in many years and are entitled to this modest $10,000 hike. Opponents said the state is having difficult economic problems and argued it is not the time to increase salaries. Amorello voted against the hike.

COURT REFORM (H 6210) House 141-0 gave initial approval to the 107 page bill reorganizing the state's court system. Provisions include giving the chief justices of various court departments authority to transfer personnel and cases and the creation of a statewide juvenile court. Supporters said the bill overhauls the antiquated court system and gives judges the management tools and power to directly manage the courts. Moore and Kollios voted for the bill.

TRANSFER FUNDS (H 6210) House 120-21, rejected a court reform bill amendment allowing the chief justice for administration and management to transfer funds between line items without legislative approval. The amendment would replace language requiring approval of all transfers by the House Ways and Means Committee, except for transfers of up to $50,000 between May 15 and June 30. Amendment supporters said unlimited transfer power is necessary to truly reform the court system, take the legislature out of the day to day operation and allow the courts to manage themselves. Opponents said elected legislators, not appointed judges, should have final authority over these transfers. Moore and Kollios voted against the amendment.

CHILDREN AND MEDICAL TREATMENT (H 5597)- Senate 16-15, reconsidered its earlier approval of a bill including provisions prohibiting criminal or child abuse and neglect charges from being brought against parents who treat their sick children through spiritual healing and prayer rather than through medical treatment. The bill does, however, allow charges to be brought against parents who interfere with medical treatment for their children ordered by the court. Bill supporters said the measure protects the religious freedom of Christian Scientists. They noted neither spiritual healing nor medical treatment are perfect and argued the choice should be left up to the parents. Opponents said the bill goes too far and argued the state has an obligation to protect children. Some noted they favored an earlier version of the bill which was respectful of religion and still protective of children. Another vote on the bill is scheduled in the Senate during the week of November 30. Amorello did not vote.

DRUG SENTENCES (S 1492) - Senate 26-3, refused to table a bill providing a mandatory prison sentence for anyone convicted of possession of 14 grams of heroin, morphine or opium. Current law provides mandatory sentences for possession of 28 or more grams. Bill supporters said it is time to get tough with these hard drug dealers and insure they are kept off the streets. Opponents said mandatory sentences tie the hands of judges and are not the answer to the drug problem. They said the bill will lead to overcrowded prisons and increased spending. The bill later received final approval by the Senate and a motion to reconsider that approval is pending. Amorello voted against tabling.

INDEPENDENT LIVING (H 5800)- Senate 31-2, overrode Governor Weld's veto reduction of $100,000 (from $3.59 million to $3.49 million) in funding for the independent living assistance program. Override supporters said this $100,000 is necessary for adequate funding of this program to help disabled people who want to live on their own. Opponents said spending on programs must be limited to projected revenues in order to keep the budget balanced. Amorello voted for the $100,000.

Board approves 4-Way Stop at Grafton&Riverlin

By Edward J. Cooney

MILLBURY - The Board of Selectmen concluded its agenda on December 1 after 13 minutes of brief deliberation on several items. Administrative Assistant Earl Chase was not present to update the Board on any items of business.

After signing payrolls and bills, the Board voted to approve the renewal of liquor licenses for 1993 with the exception of Clearview Country Club. No explanation was offered as to the reason for disapproval of Clearview.

In other matters, the Board approved a written recommendation from Police Chief Richard Handfield for a four way stop at Grafton and Riverlin Streets.

Two other letters were received, one concerning a Millbury resident who is blind and is experiencing difficulties crossing the street because of area drivers. The board voted to refer the matter to the Safety Officer.

The second letter came from Chief Handfield and asked the board to review the recent changes on the town's Domestic Violence Policy. The changes came about as a result of the efforts of Officers William Wilkinson and Kevin Woods who recently attended a conference on the subject sponsored by the Criminal Justice Council.

Students of the Month

MILLBURY - The Millbury Jr./Sr. High School has announced that the following students have been selected as Student of the Month for their class: Class of '93 - Jason Clark, son of Mr. Gordon Clark of Rutland and Mrs. Angela Clark of 15 Harris Ave., Millbury and Michael Dyer, son of Mrs. Jane Dyer, 66 South Main Street, Millbury; Class of '94 - David Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gordon, 70 Oak Pond Ave., Millbury; Class of '96 - Brian Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkinson, 29 Auburn Road, Millbury.

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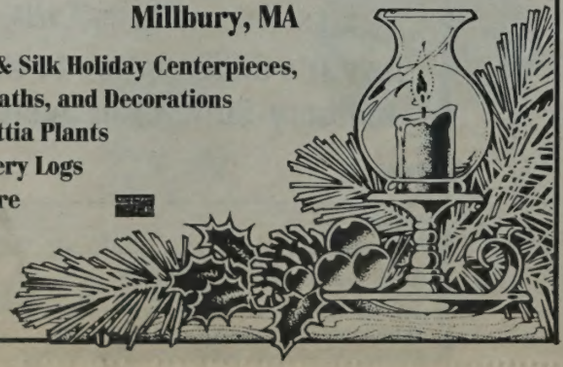

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From My Window on Farnsworth Court

By "Pastor Rae" Cameron

The Christmas story has so many facets to it that the problem is narrowing it down to one topic. The other day, I attended a meeting of our Central Baptist Association Clergy Group. We had as our speakers, a man and woman from the Problem Pregnancy organization out of Worcester. We listened attentively to a presentation of the work that they do to help young ladies who are pregnant. They are one answer to the abortion question as they try to get these young women to go full term and have their baby, then help them with those things they will need for the newborn child. We commend them highly for their work, but we also had a few questions about their procedures.

First and foremost was their name: "Problem Pregnancy." They are in the same building with Planned Parenthood, and on their door they simply have "P.P." These initials can be quite confusing with which organization they represent, and there have been some who went in thinking they were going to Planned Parenthood. I questioned the term "Problem Pregnancy" as my daughter, who is a nurse, works with women who are experiencing problem pregnancies, but hers is a medical procedure. Their put-down of other organizations and some scare tactics are also questionable.

Many of us would like to be known as being pro-life and anti-abortion, and still be pro-choice for the woman. We are in hopes that she will make the proper choice and allow that precious life she is carrying to become part of our society. Making abortion illegal has too many ramifications: Who are you going to arrest? The doctor? The nurse? The young lady? Where does the responsibility of the male come into the picture?

Now, back to the Christmas story. Mary and Joseph were only engaged when she became pregnant with Jesus by the Holy Spirit. Joseph was going to have her put away, but was told instead to marry her and have Jesus born into his own family for he was of the house and lineage of David and thus Jesus could be, and was later proven to be, the promised Messiah or the Christ. What kind of a world would we have today if Jesus had been aborted or put away? Thank God Joseph and Mary made a choice as they were directed by God to do, and Jesus was born. Amen.

Local Dancers in Holiday Performance

MILLBURY - Students of the Cindy Bourgeois Dance Centre will be performing at the Elmwood Street School on Sunday, December 13, at 2 p.m. The show is entitled "Holiday Happenings" and will feature seasonal song, dance, and instrumental selections. The performance will run approximately one hour and the admission fee is $3.00. Proceeds will benefit the dance company's fees for the 1993 competition season. There will also be a Bake Sale.

Performing members of the Cindy Bourgeois Dance Companies are: Junior Company - Sarah Bien, Erin Dore, Brittany Dumais, Christy Gannon, Kim Green, Leela Haghanizadeh, Mandy LaCava, Olivia Moriarty, Gina Ragaini, Valerie Spencer, Lauren Vigneault, Kara Lynn Woods, and Jennifer Bien.

Senior Company: Jana Arrell, Jennifer Dunn, David Gagne, Laurie Gagne, Shayna Greiner, Anissa Lewos, Laurie Plant, Sarah Plant, Tonya Rajotte, Lisa West.

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MILLBURY - That's right! Don't be a bystander, be a "Bandstander." The Friends of the Millbury Bandstand are accepting donations for the construction of a bandstand in Millbury. A bandstand will not only enhance the image of the community but will afford a permanent structure for activities such as summer concerts, speeches, prom and wedding pictures, art exhibits, bake sales, and other programs sponsored by various organizations in town.

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no more money could be spent over that amount," she said.

Hanratty told Tuttle that "technically" she was correct in that in order to transfer monies to another account the committee's approval is necessary. He also said that in the past, "Sylvia has come to the committee stating he needs a little here and there and what he is saying now is that when he found out he is over the budgeted amount, he is coming to us."

"That is still not acceptable," Tuttle said.

"You can't do anything about it," Sylvia said. "You can say what you want. It's done."

Hanratty explained that based on the figures provided by Sylvia, there is an overrun of $380.00 which the committee has to correct to balance the budget.

Committee member Jane Pojani noted the options for balancing the line item and asked Sylvia what he thought would be needed for the remainder of the school year.

"Nothing," he replied, "as it is now frozen."

Pojani asked how much was spent on conferences last year?

Sylvia replied, "A little over $2,000."

Pojani questioned how it could happen then that $2,000 was spent for a full year last year and in three months $1659 had been spent. She also asked how money can be spent that is not available.

Sylvia replied, "They (conferences) were approved, and when I got a total on them I came to you and told you. It's up to you whether you want people to go to conferences or freeze everything. There is enough money in grants this year to do in-service training according to Dr. Palermo. We will still do training already planned for this year."

Palermo asked that if it is decided not to grant any more money for conferences, would the teachers be allowed to go if they paid their own way. "I would hate to see them totally cut off," he said.

He also said that next year's budget will see money allotted to each building for conferences, with more going to the high school because of the larger number of teachers. Any leftover monies at the high school would be shared with the Shaw and Elmwood St. Schools.

Palermo also remarked that most conferences occur in the fall which could account for the number of conferences already attended. Both he and Sylvia also pointed out that a lot of new program work is going on that requires teacher training.

Committeeman Alan Marble asked about conferences coming up next week.

Sylvia replied that there would be a cost of $200 for two fourth grade teachers.

Committeeman Tom Clawson said to Sylvia, "I understand you over-expended the budget. Last year the administration came before the School Committee and evidently it was stated that more was spent in the past but that you would try to bite the bullet this year and spend a thousand dollars less."

Sylvia agreed that was correct.

"Now," Clawson continued, "you are asking for more."

Sylvia said that money was available from the in-service account, to which Clawson replied, "I understand that, but back then when there was a budget agreement, you said you were only going to spend a thousand dollars. Evidently the School Committee agreed with you at the time."

Sylvia said that was true and that other accounts were cut to get the budget down.

"But at that time you knew you only had a thousand dollars," Clawson said.

"Right," Sylvia replied. "I over-expended $380. I told you that. If you want to hold it and freeze them, then do it. If you want to give me money to allow teachers to go out there for conferences, then do it."

"I think the time to do that is when you go through the budget presentation," Clawson said. "I don't think it is right to do it halfway through the year. It's not a big amount, but you have to hold to the budget process. I think you have to maintain the line item you have."

Sylvia told Clawson he was cutting it too fine. He also said that back in the spring he did not know about the $150,000 grant coming from the state. "Here we have an opportunity to do things for teachers and programs, and now you tell me I cut the budget too much. You're either going to do things for teachers or you're not," he said.

Hanratty told Sylvia that he was missing Clawson's point. He then called for a motion to transfer $380 from the in-service account to the conference account to balance the budget. The vote was 4-0-1 with Tuttle abstaining.

Marble then proposed a transfer from in-service to the conference account for the two conferences next week. The vote to approve was 3-1-1 with Clawson opposed and Tuttle abstaining. Hanratty said that if there are to be any further conferences, the Committee should be advised in advance. He also noted that, including the two teachers attending next week's conference, a total of 30 staff people have gone to conferences since September, "which amounts to almost 25% of the staff being out of the building at some time."

Millbury Teachers Association President Tom Murray remarked that teachers will not likely be willing to go to conferences if they have to pay their own expenses. He also said he thought the budget process of last spring gave a "worse case scenario" and that there could be excess money.

Hanratty said there is no excess in any account in the budget and that unexpected funds of $100 per pupil or $150,000 came from a grant from the state. "This is a very low budget," he said.

Sylvia remarked that the superintendent shouldn't have to come before the committee for every expenditure. "He (the superintendent) has the day to day authority and knows what is going on," he said. "The School Committee is a policy board and, if you are to do it right, that's what you should do."

Hanratty said that Sylvia's point is well taken as long as there is money in the budget.

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"You are scolding us like it's our fault," Tuttle told Sylvia. "We didn't come up with the $1000 figure. You didn't come to us until now." She also noted that it is difficult to explain to the public what is going on with the budget.

Sylvia replied that people in the community don't know anything about the budget since they are not present when the budget is deliberated.

Hanratty said the Committee represents the people, and the public has a right to know where the monies go. "I am ending this discussion right now," he said.

Added secretarial assistance

The Committee deferred action on a request from Special Education Director Joanne Stowe for added hours for secretarial assistance due to what Sylvia and Palermo said were new State Special Education regulations and guidelines and time lines that can't be met without additional hours. The administration said that if time lines are not met, the school system could find state funds in jeopardy.

Committee members suggested other alternatives to increasing the present hours from 19 to 28 or 30 as Stowe requested, including the possibility of sharing secretarial help or hiring another part time person.

Sylvia said it would be preferable to have one person to maintain continuity and efficiency with files and deadlines.

At Clawson's suggestion, Stowe will be asked to come in for the next meeting to discuss the request.

High School budget

Sylvia explained that the high school budget has not been passed in because of the frequent absences of Principal Daniel Carmody. He said that 90% of the budget is done and he will have to sit down with Carmody to get it finished.

It was suggested that he call Carmody and that he meet with Assistant Principal Charles Capparelli as well to complete the budget.

Pojani said she was concerned with all the responsibilities that have been placed on Capparelli and that he may be asked to do too much on his own if Carmody is out frequently. "I am concerned that some things may have to be let go and not taken care of one way or another," she said.

Grievance

Pojani then referred to a request she made to have an item placed on tonight's agenda. The item, which was left off the agenda, concerned a grievance at the high school that was filed by a staff member against another staff member. Pojani said she had concerns that the issue may present a liability to the town.

Sylvia said he is dealing with that issue now.

Hanratty said this was not the time to bring it out at the school committee level "until Dr. Sylvia deals with it, and then if it's not resolved," he said, "it would come before us. We can't prejudge the grievance before it comes to us."

Pojani said she should have been notified by Sylvia that he would not be putting it on tonight's agenda. "I never received a phone call to explain why it isn't on the agenda," she said.

[The nature of the grievance was never mentioned at tonight's meeting. However, according to sources at the high school, the grievance was filed by a staff member against Capparelli who has given a teacher permission to leave her class unattended while she brings her child to a lower level school in the system. That teacher is also involved as part of the grievance.)

Sylvia said he has until December 9 to respond to the grievance. Hanratty said Sylvia didn't receive the grievance until November 30th and he has 10 working days to resolve it or send to the committee.

Pojani said the grievance was first filed in October. "It is now at the superintendent's level and it's December," she said.

Sylvia said he has until December 9th and he still has to sit down with Carmody, who has been absent.

Hanratty suggested he speak with Capparelli.

MTA President Tom Murray told the committee it could take any action it wanted since the grievance can go on through regular channels.

Hanratty said if the matter was decided beforehand, it would not be fair.

Pojani reinforced her concern by stating that the matter is a safety and liability issue and that it has nothing to do with the grievance.

Hanratty again said he felt it was not proper to discuss it at this time.

"I feel you (Dr. Sylvia) are dragging your feet on this issue," Pojani said.

Sylvia told Pojani that he disagreed with her viewpoint on his handling of the grievance but that she was entitled to her own opinion.

Hanratty said the Committee is a policy board and does not function on a day by day basis "because that is the prerogative of the administration."

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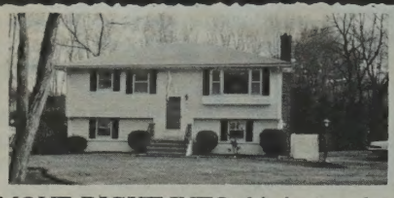
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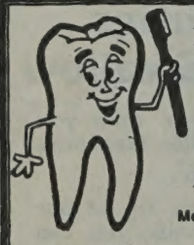
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Christmas at the COA

MILLBURY - The following Christmas events have been scheduled at the Senior Center, located at the Asa Waters Mansion on Elm Street:

Thursday, December 17, Joe Martocci will perform Christmas Carols at noon during lunch.

Monday, December 21, children from grades 5 and 6 at Assumption School will perform at 11:30 a.m.

On Tuesday, December 22, a Christmas Open House will be held from 1-3 p.m. Join in some fun, singing, and dancing. The Millbury Senior Sing-a-Long Singers will perform.

The public is invited to all of these events.

Ski Sign Up

MILLBURY - Registration for the Ward Hill Ski Program will be held at the Central Fire Station on Elm Street on Sunday, December 13, from 10 a.m. to noon. If you have any questions, call Cathy at 865-4762 evenings and weekends, or Walter at 987-8786 weekdays.

Assumption School Honor Roll

MILLBURY - Assumption School has announced the first quarter honor roll as follows:

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GRADE 7 - 1st HONORS: Lauren Chase; 2nd HONORS: Brendan Keenan, Nicole Walczak.

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Cub Scout News

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Gymnastic Intramurals

MILLBURY - On Monday, November 30, the grade six students at Shaw Elementary School began a three week early winter session of gymnastic intramurals. Each class will have three days of optional activities which will include parallel bars, uneven parallel bars, ropes, rings, balance beam, exercise station, dual stunts, and vaulting. Sixth graders will assist the younger children in activities and develop their own leadership skills.

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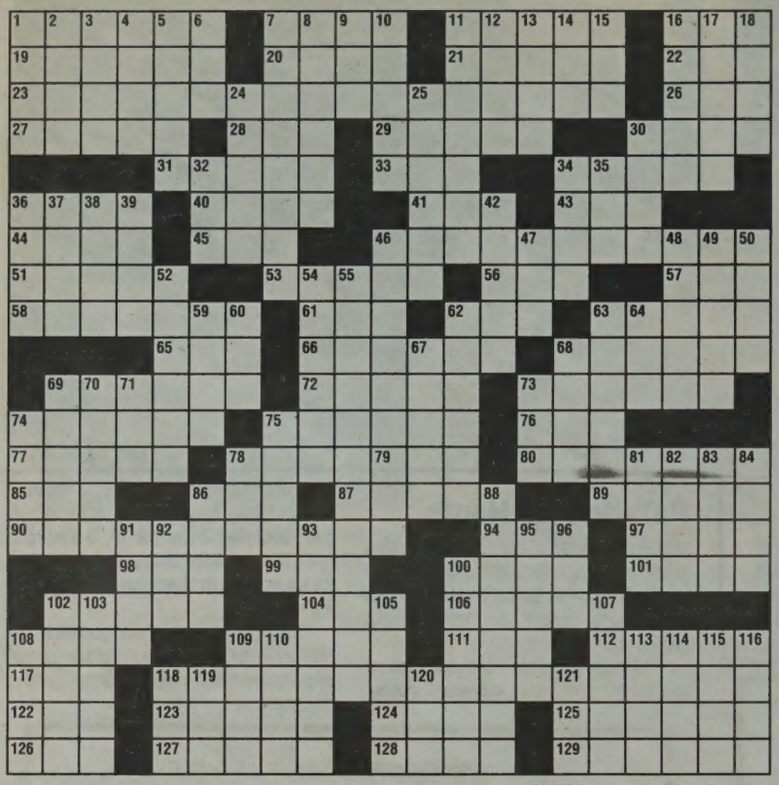

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ACROSS

1 Interweaves
7 Sign of healing
11 Uneven
16 Inquire
19 Performers
20 Serpent's ploy
21 Come up
22 Make due, with "out"
23 Beginning of a pun by 80 Across
26 Gear
27 Arboreal marsupial
28 Time for acctg.
29 Race: Comb. form
30 Hastens
31 Overcharge
33 Ivy League coll.
34 Unusual
36 Infinitesimal particle
40 Army kid
41 Cont. east of Halifax
43 "Born in the —"
44 Entertainer Bayes
45 Isr. neighbor
46 More of 23 Across
51 Regimens
53 Inks
56 Pose
57 Command to Dobbin
58 More of 23 Across
61 Kind of scene
62 WWII theater
63 Eel type
65 Corrida vote of confidence
66 Keats' milieu
68 Romeo and Juliet
69 Sweltered
72 Diamond man from Texas
73 Word with World of TV
74 Sound system
75 Prepared by fermentation
76 Corrode
77 Supply ship
78 Cook's need
79 Ship's course
80 A McCarthy
85 Important name in Virginia
86 Period
87 Bear type
89 "— Poker"
90 Voice of 80 Across
94 Corn unit
97 Failed project
98 Steal from
99 Beetle
100 Secret agent
101 Stylish
102 Rote writers?
104 Former Mideast org.
106 Ammonia-based compound
108 Raucous noises
109 Rio de la —
111 Small amount
112 Stage whisper
117 Put 2 & 2 together
118 End of pun
122 Golf starting point
123 Home on the range
124 Young salmon
125 — spaniel
126 Silly type
127 Risk investment
128 Neuter
129 Box in: Var.

DOWN

1 Conceal
2 Repeat
3 Portico
4 Sound off
5 Bombeck namesakes
6 Ship's course
7 Book learners
8 Corner the market
9 Broadcast
10 Run, as madras
11 Place for a wash
12 Monitor lizard
13 Venus de —
14 Greek letter
15 Urge
16 Eagle's home
17 Alps fan
18 Powder containers
24 Fatigued
25 Pressure
30 Top
32 NBC competitor
34 Give up
35 Exploit
36 "The Egg —"
37 Labor
38 City on the Oka
39 Wrestling areas
42 Out of practice
46 — Iraq & a hard place?
47 "The Road to —"
48 Consent
49 Approaches
50 Eastern VIPS
52 Party for a bride-to-be
54 Disclose
55 14K egg layer
59 Diet spread
60 Commit matrimony
62 Worn down
63 Subject to temptation
64 Egg: Prefix
67 Tendency
68 Jacob's spouse
69 Enclosed for swine
70 Wireless msg.
71 Before
73 Min. unit
74 Iron surface
75 Get on
78 Before pare or pay
81 Split
82 "Le Roi d'Ys" composer
83 Hard stuff
84 Catch a glimpse
86 Recedes
87 Monstrous: Comb. form
88 British territoriat cavalry
91 Sections of circles
92 Korean GI
93 Painting technique
95 Excuse
96 Embarrassed
100 East Java island
102 Secretes
103 S.A. mountain chain
105 Airport areas
107 Financier Cyrus
108 Computer food
109 Peruvian plateau
110 Deficiency
113 Children's org.
114 Actress Chase
115 Certain rabbits
116 To be, in Paris
118 — truly
119 Kind of meal
120 Chart
121 Phys. or Chem

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Puffin's friendly crew (l-r): Kevin Weldon, Phyllis McGovern (also known as "Mom") , owner Karen McGovern, Evelyn Crowton, and Debbie Magliaro

MILLBURY - Puffin's Restaurant , 95 Main Street, celebrated its 1st Anniversary on November 20th.The popular eatery is owned and operated by local resident Karen McGovern. If you haven't tried a "Puffin Muffin" breakfast sandwich (take our word for it, they're SPECTACULAR) , or the homemade soups, stews, and sandwiches, then you've been missing out on one of the best menus in the area!

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Honor Roll at Bancroft School

WORCESTER - Several local students have been named to the first quarter Honor Roll at Bancroft School: Grade 12, Honors - Katherine Beaton of Sutton and Benjamin Goodwin of Millbury; Grade 11, Honors - Julianne Keenan of Sutton; Grade 9, High Honors - Sara Hutchinson of Sutton and Lydia Stein of Millbury.

Bereaved families to meet

WORCESTER - The Compassionate Friends invites bereaved families of children who have died to its monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the Stoddard Room at the First Baptist Church, 111 Park Stret. For further information, contact Linda Casey at 839-6390.

Presents fitness program

MILLBURY - Jean Peterson, author of "Senior Fitness: You Can Do It," presented her senior fitness program to older women at the Pine Street Inn in Boston recently. Following the demonstration, she was given a tour of the new quarters for women on Harrison Ave and joined the temporary residents for lunch.

Tax bills due in Sutton

SUTTON - The 1993 Real Estate and Personal Property tax bills for the Town of Sutton were mailed November 18, 1992 and are due in the Town Collector's office by noon on Friday, December 18, 1992. Bills received either by mail or at the counter after that date will be subject to 14% interest penalty going back to the date of mailing.

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Pojani again said she had serious concerns with liability and wanted the Committee to see where it stands if something should happen.

No action was taken.

In other matters, the contract for roofing several sections of the high school went to the low bidder, JUDD Roofing of Dunstable. There is a 15 year warranty on the roof, according to Business Manager Sue Pierce.

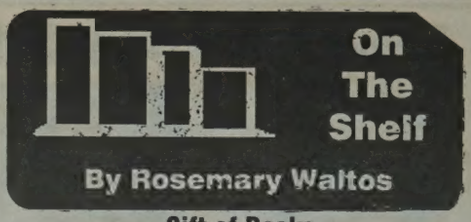
On a roll call vote, the committee moved to executive session to discuss whether to provide a stipend to departments with a head teacher with three or more staff members. The meeting to adjourn followed the executive session.

Sutton Towne Soccer

SUTTON - The Sutton Towne Soccer Association will hold a final registration for the 1993 Spring season on Saturday, December 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Town Hall. The cost is $17 for Pee-Wee and U-8 and $20 for all other age groups. This is the final registration. Anyone registering after this date will be charged a $20 late fee. If you have any questions, call Peter Army, registrar, at 865-9074.

Advent Concert

GRAFTON - The Grafton Ecumenical Choir will present its annual Advent Concert on Sunday, December 13, at 3 p.m. at the Baptist Church in Grafton Center. The principal work on this year's program will be the Dvorak Mass, under the direction of Charles King. There is no admission charge, but a free will offering will be taken.



Gift of Books

Books make great gifts for the young people on your gift giving list this year. All of the books on this list are also available at the Millbury Public Library. Look for them in the children's room.

YOUNG READERS

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BACK HOME by Gloria Jean Pinkney. Eight-year-old Ernestine returns to visit relatives on the North Carolina farm where she was born. $15.00

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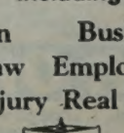

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